

106TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

S. 1517

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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

AUGUST 5, 1999

Mr. ALLARD introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance

A BILL

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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Medicare Managed
5 Care Cost Contract Extension Act of 1999”.

1 **SEC. 2. THREE-YEAR EXTENSION OF MEDICARE MANAGED**
2 **CARE COST CONTRACTS.**

3 Section 1876(h)(5)(B) of the Social Security Act (42
4 U.S.C. 1395mm(h)(5)) is amended by striking “December
5 31, 2002” and inserting “December 31, 2005”.

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